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For: A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING STACKED SEMICONDUCTOR
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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 15, 2004,
please amend the above-identified application as follows. A
Petition and fee for a one-month Extension of Time accompanies
this response.

REMARKS

Claims 1-31 are currently pending in the application.

35 USC §103

Claims 1-31 stand rejected under 35 USC 103(a) as being
unpatentable over Ohie (U.S. Patent No. 6,580,164) in view of
Loder et al (U.S. Patent No. 5,777,345). These rejections are
traversed as follows.